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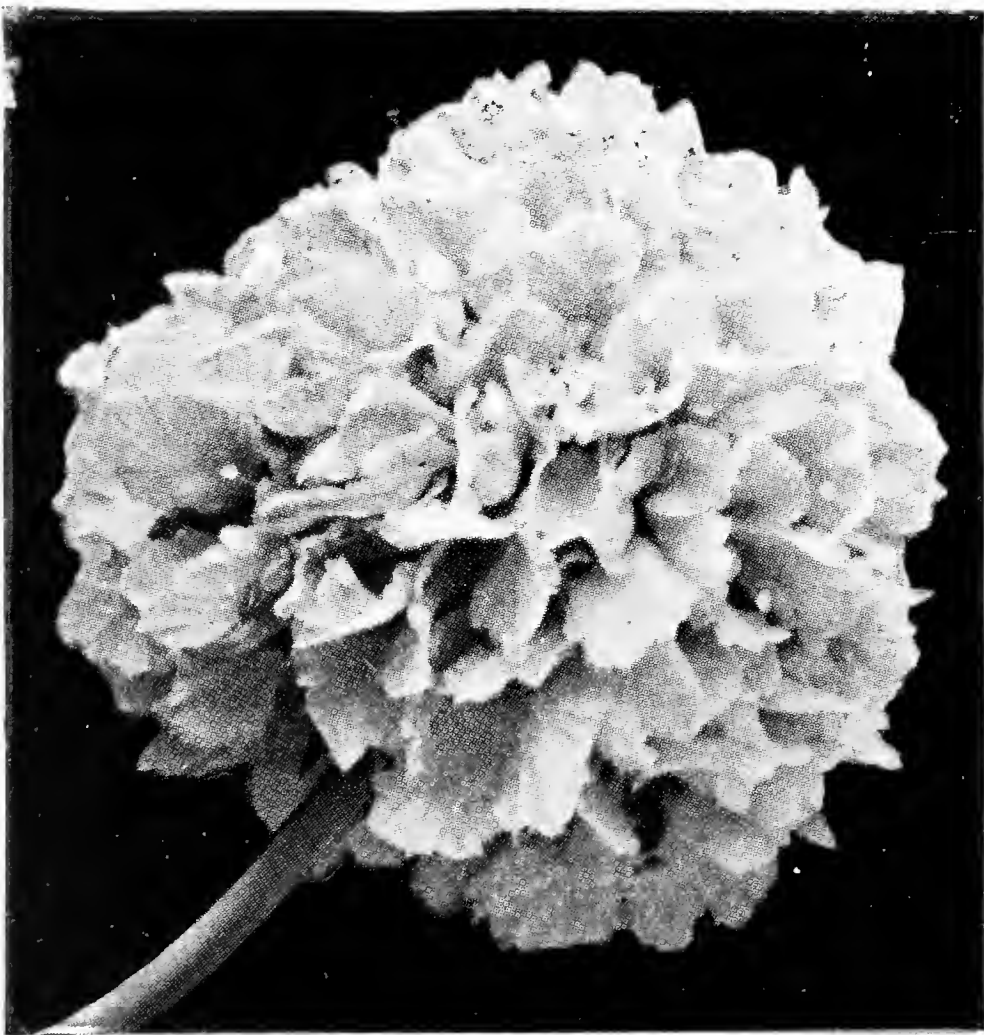
1939 All-America Flower Winners

These 4 Novelties

1 pkt. of each, 75c
1 large pkt. of each, \$1.75



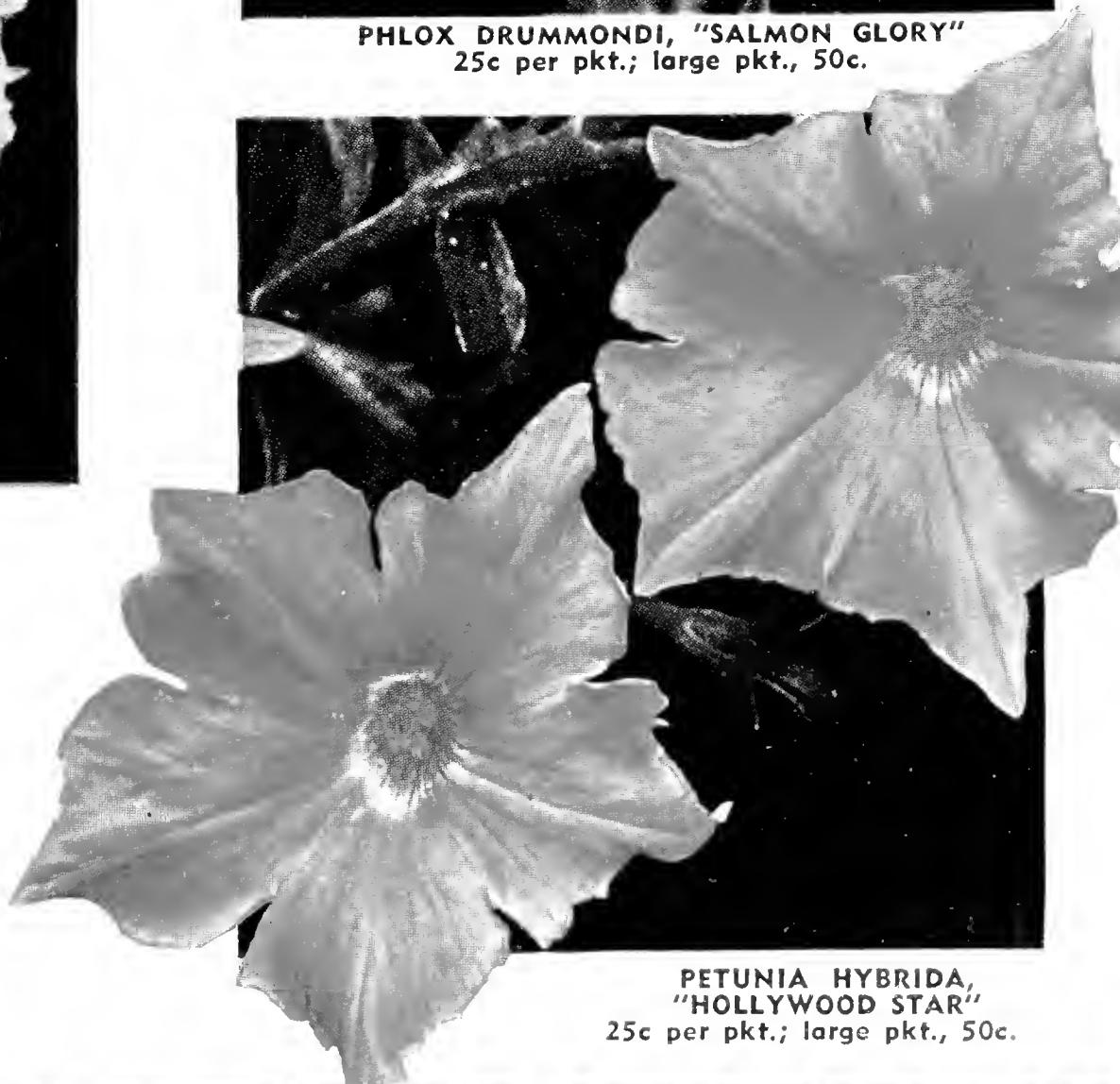
MORNING GLORY (Ipomoea), "SCARLETT O'HARA"
(Gold Medal.) Small pkt., 25c; large pkt., 50c.



SCABIOSA, "BLUE MOON"
25c per pkt.; large pkt., 50c.



PHLOX DRUMMONDI, "SALMON GLORY"
25c per pkt.; large pkt., 50c.



PETUNIA HYBRIDA,
"HOLLYWOOD STAR"
25c per pkt.; large pkt., 50c.

Van Bourgondien Bros.

BABYLON LONG ISLAND NEW YORK

1939 Spring Planting Guide



BEAUTY UNSURPASSED!

*Be Exclusive with these Novelties
in your favorite garden spot*

Several pages of this book have been dedicated to recent introductions which stand out as a tribute to the creative ability of the world's foremost hybridizers. With flying colors they have come through the severest test of all: the "ALL-AMERICA FLOWER TRIALS."

Other varieties of seeds listed in this planting guide, together with bulbs for spring planting, perennials and roses, have been selected for their adaptability to the various climatic conditions prevailing in this country. With confidence you may choose your favorites and be assured that the high quality of our planting material forms an excellent foundation for better flowering results.

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE ORDERING

PREPAID SHIPMENTS. We prepay all carrying charges to destination only on orders accompanied by remittance in full.

C. O. D. SHIPMENTS. We will book your order on receipt of 25 per cent of the amount of the order; the planting material will be shipped C. O. D. including transportation charges.

ORDERS. Please omit orders for less than six of a variety unless a price on each is quoted. Six or more of a variety are sold at the dozen rate; twenty-five or more of one variety at the hundred rate.

MINIMUM ORDERS. There is no minimum on orders for seeds. For all other material listed in this book, due to high transportation charges, only orders totaling ONE DOLLAR or more can be accepted.

ORDER EARLY! In fairness to you, we do not execute orders for perennials and roses received after June 15th. They will be placed on file until the following fall or spring.

Now! **TWO WILT-
RESISTANT
ASTER NOVELTIES!**



**ASTER, Early Giant Wilt-Resistant,
Peach Blossom. Pkt., 25c; large pkt., 50c.**



**ASTER, Early Giant Wilt-Resistant,
Light Blue. Pkt., 25c; large pkt., 50c.**

V. B. B. "EVERGREEN" LAWN SEED BANK AND TERRACE MIXTURES

CITY PARK Lawn Seed

This very popular brand contains only high quality domestic grasses, and will produce a sturdy, green turf. A good grade of lawn seed for general purposes, and very reasonably priced. **Price: 1 lb., 50c; 3 lbs., \$1.45; 5 lbs., \$2.30; 25 lbs., \$11.00; 100 lbs., \$42.00.**

SYLVAN—The Lawn Seed for Shady Spots (Containing Bent Grass)

This mixture contains in the proper proportions those domestic and imported grasses, which are recognized by both the leading experimental stations and landscape experts as being the only grasses suitable for establishing a lawn in shaded places. The varieties of grasses used are carefully blended to insure a hardy, permanent turf, of fine texture and bright green. **Price: 1 lb., 85c; 3 lbs., \$2.45; 5 lbs., \$4.00; 25 lbs., \$19.00; 100 lbs., \$73.00.**

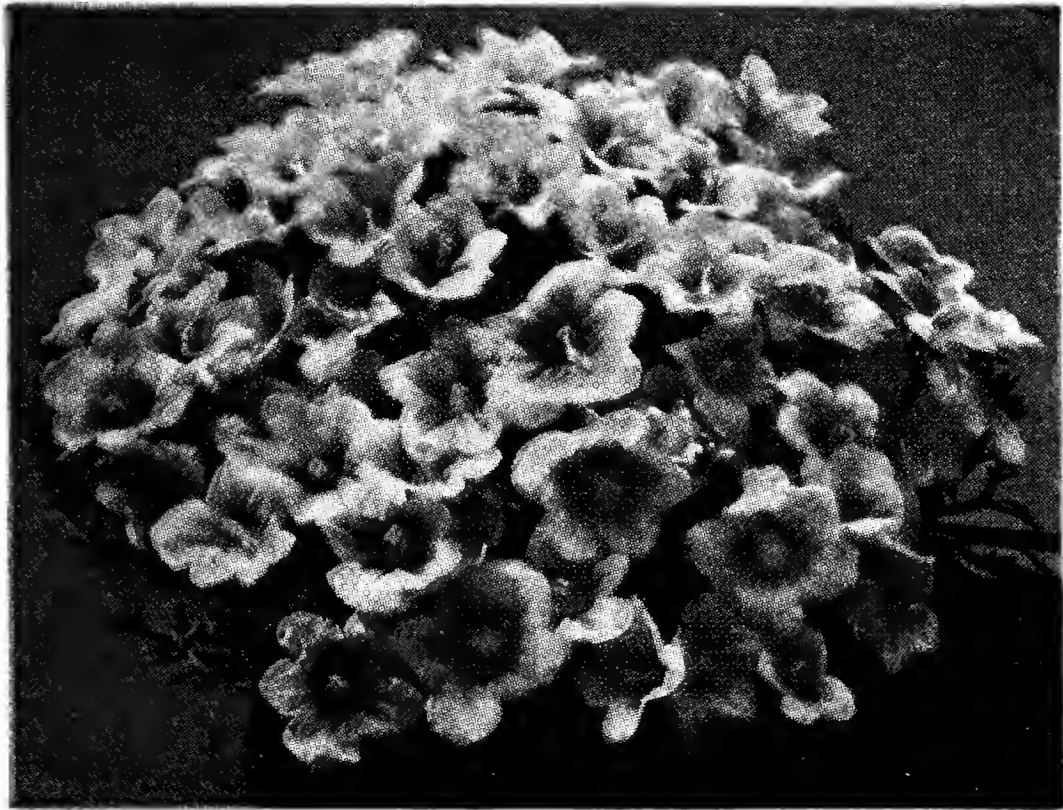
EUREKA Lawn Seed, Containing Bent Grass

Is of truly superfine quality. It represents, blended in the proper proportions, a mixture of short-growing, fine-bladed turf grasses, including a liberal percentage of GENUINE CREEPING BENT GRASS. This mixture will produce a most beautiful PERMANENT LAWN of brilliant green and velvety surface throughout the season.

Price: 1 lb., 85c; 3 lbs., \$2.45; 5 lbs., \$4.00; 25 lbs., \$19.00; 100 lbs., \$73.00.



American and European FLOWER NOVELTIES



NIEREMBERGIA hippomanica

A half-hardy perennial best treated as an annual, blooming in about 15 weeks after seed is sown. **Pkt., 25c; large pkt., 50c.**

AQUILEGIA clematiflora

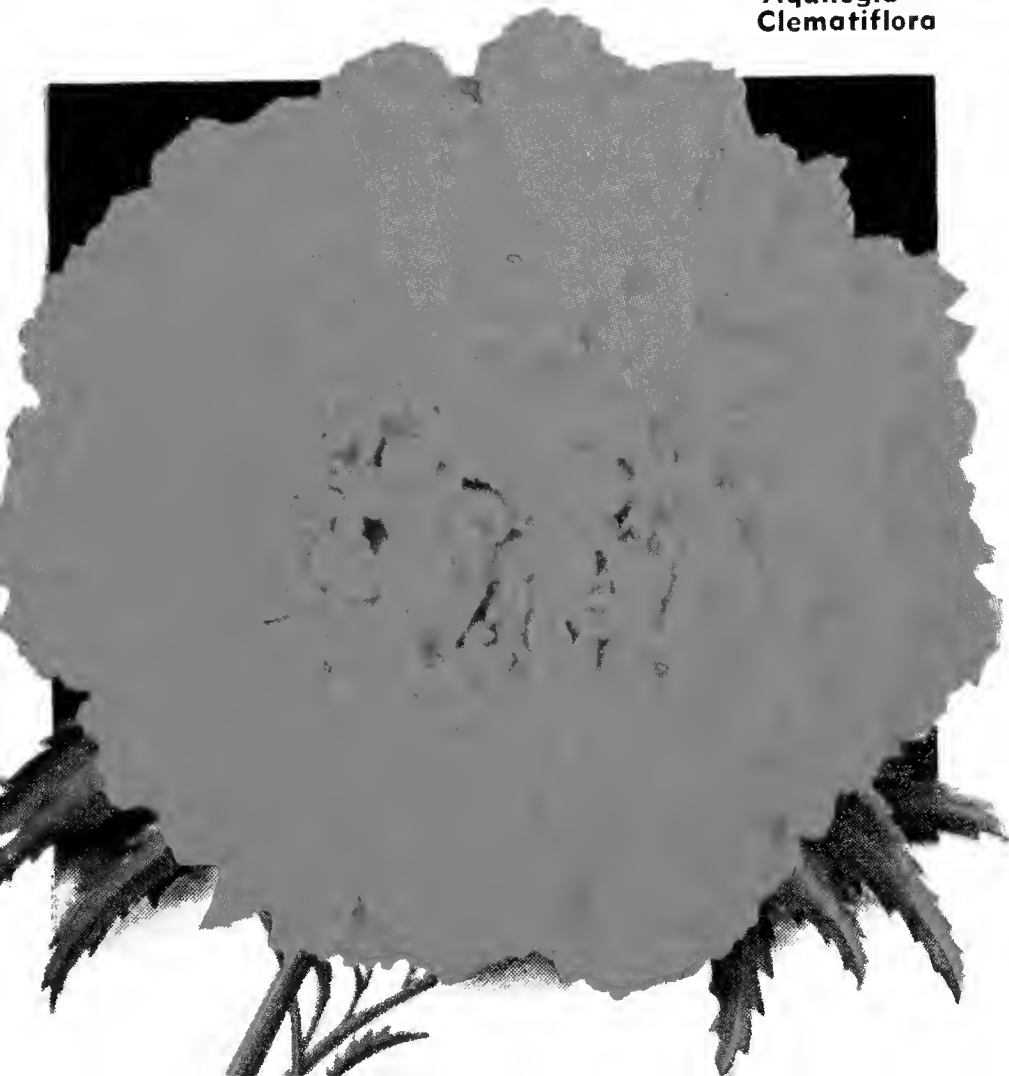
This glorious Columbine is absolutely distinct in petal formation. The blooms greatly resemble clematis. The plants are of medium height, compact habit, and free flowering. Colors are delicate pastel shades of pink and blue. **Pkt., 50c.**



**Aquilegia
Clematiflora**

MARIGOLD GIGANTEA Sunset Giants

Immense flowers averaging 5 to 7 inches across. Sweet fragrance. Loosely formed, very full-centered, with broad, heavy petals. The mixture ranges from deep orange, golden orange, deep gold, light yellow, lemon, to primrose. Comes 60 to 65 per cent double. 3½ to 4 feet high. **Pkt., 20c; large pkt., 50c.**



PETUNIA Salmon Supreme

Winner of the Highest All-America Award for 1938. Brand new color in petunias. When first opening, flowers are rich coral-salmon, changing as they mature to a glistening soft salmon-pink. They grow 2 inches across and are deeply five-lobed. They have a uniform height of about 1 foot and a spread of about 1½ feet; ideal for borders, edgings or beds. **Pkt., 25c; large pkt., 50c.**

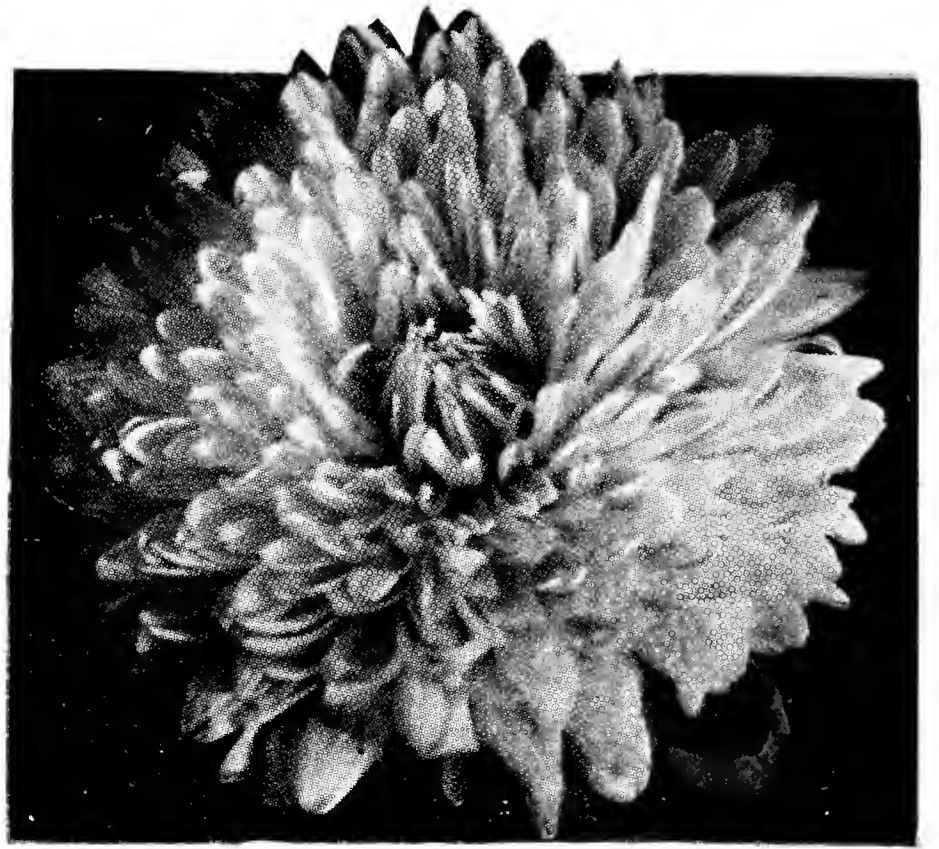
LUPINS, The New Russell Hybrids From England

Extra long flower spikes in dazzling colors. The Russell Lupins represent 20 years' work of a little known gardener, whose name is likely to become a by-word amongst flower lovers. **Pkt., 20c; large pkt., 50c.**





Novelties and



American Branching Aster

ASTERS, Improved Giants of California

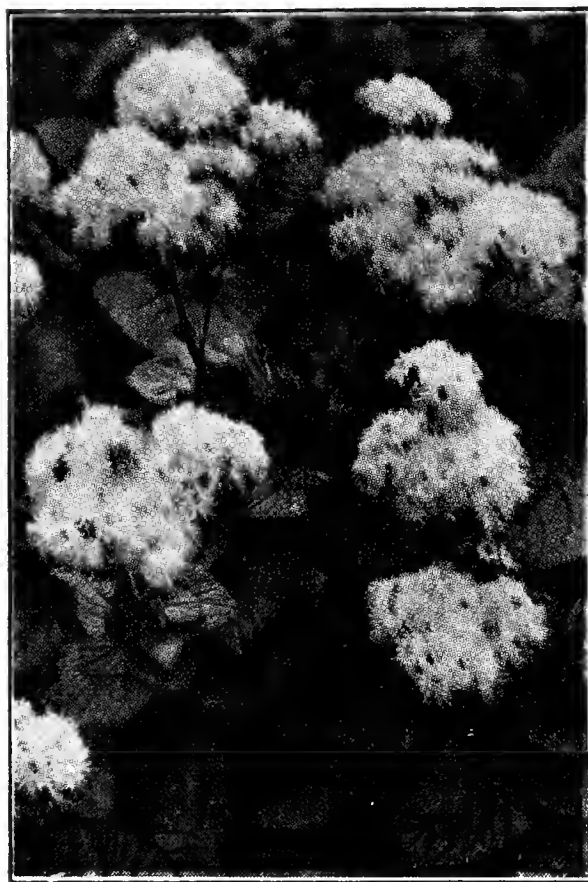
DARK PURPLE. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 50c.
 LIGHT BLUE. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 50c.
 EL MONTE. Crimson. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 50c.
 WHITE. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 50c.
 APPLE BLOSSOM. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 50c.
 1 pkt. each of these 5 varieties, 50c.
 Finest Mixed. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 50c.

AGERATUM

Fine for beds and borders.
 PURPLE PERFECTION. Extra dwarf.
 Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 50c.

ANTIRRHINUM (Snapdragon)

CALIFORNIA GIANT MIXTURE. They are rust-proof. No wilting, no drooping; an improvement on the old-time snaps. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 50c.



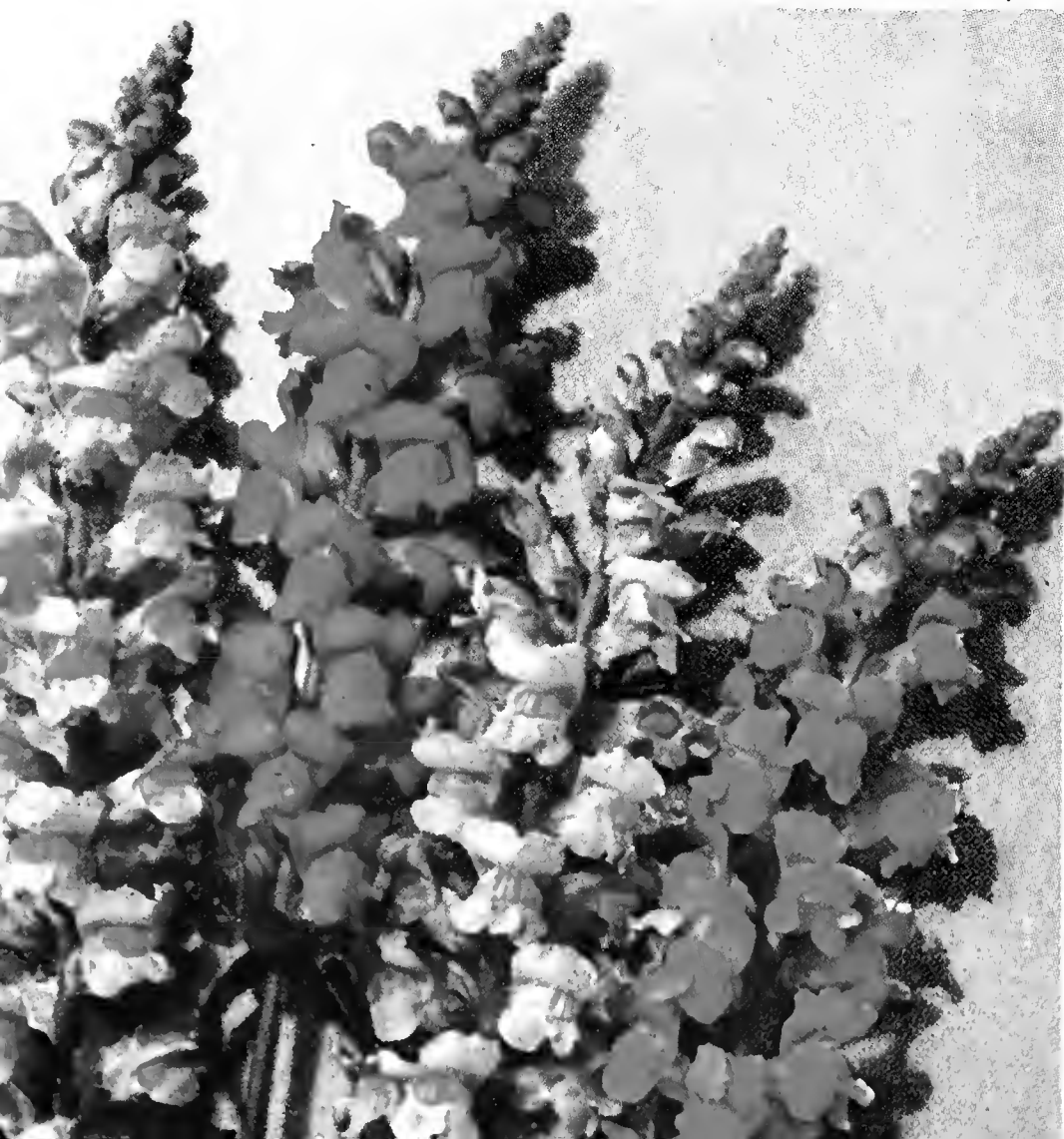
AGERATUM. Purple Perfection

ASTER, New American Branching

(Wilt-Resistant)

AZURE-BLUE. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 40c.
 CRIMSON. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 40c.
 PURPLE. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 40c.
 SHELL-PINK. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 40c.
 WHITE. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 40c.

1 pkt. each of these 5 varieties, 50c.
 FINEST MIXED, Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 40c.



ASTER, Giant California Sunshine

A glorious new type of asters growing 3 feet high and carrying large, showy blossoms on elegant long stems. The color combinations in this new aster are particularly beautiful as most of them have a dual tone effect created by the cushion-like center being of a different color than the large, gracefully curved outer ray petals. Splendid for garden display and for cutting.

SUNSHINE MIXED. Pkt., 20c; special pkt., 60c.

Flower Seed Specialties of Proven Merit

*The kiss of the sun for pardon,
The song of the birds for mirth;
One is nearer God's heart in a garden
Than anywhere else on earth.*

—Dorothy Frances Gurney.

**Van
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Better Seeds
for
Success**



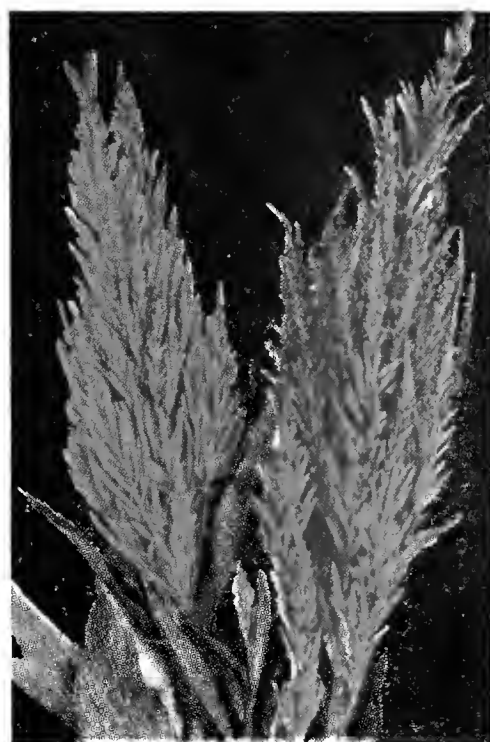
CALENDULA, Sunshine
Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 40c.

CALENDULA, Campfire (Sensation)

A lovely brilliant orange with a scarlet sheen and full yellow center. An excellent garden variety. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 50c.



**CALENDULA,
Campfire**



**CELOSIA (Cockscomb and
Feathered Varieties)**
Triumph of Exposition. Mixed.
Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz., 50c.

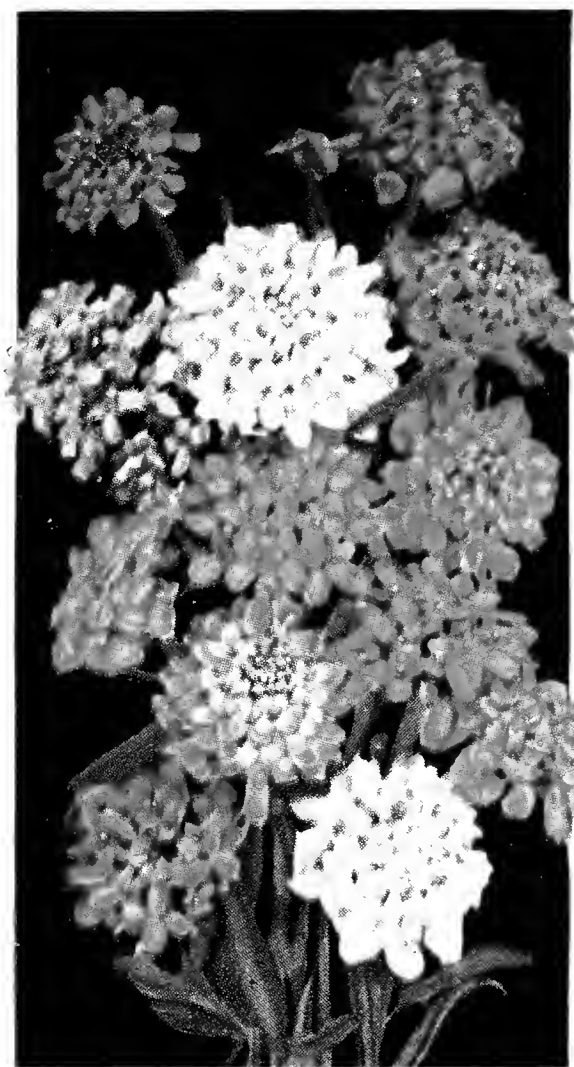


CARNATIONS
Giant Chabaud Mixed.
Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 50c.

Annual CANDYTUFT

**GIANT HYACINTH-FLOWERED
WHITE.** Tall. A fine white annual variety. The flowers are of large size, borne in large trusses well above the foliage. For cutting or the border. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 50c; oz., \$1.50.

**MAMMOTH - FLOWERED CANDY-
TUFT.** Mixed colors. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

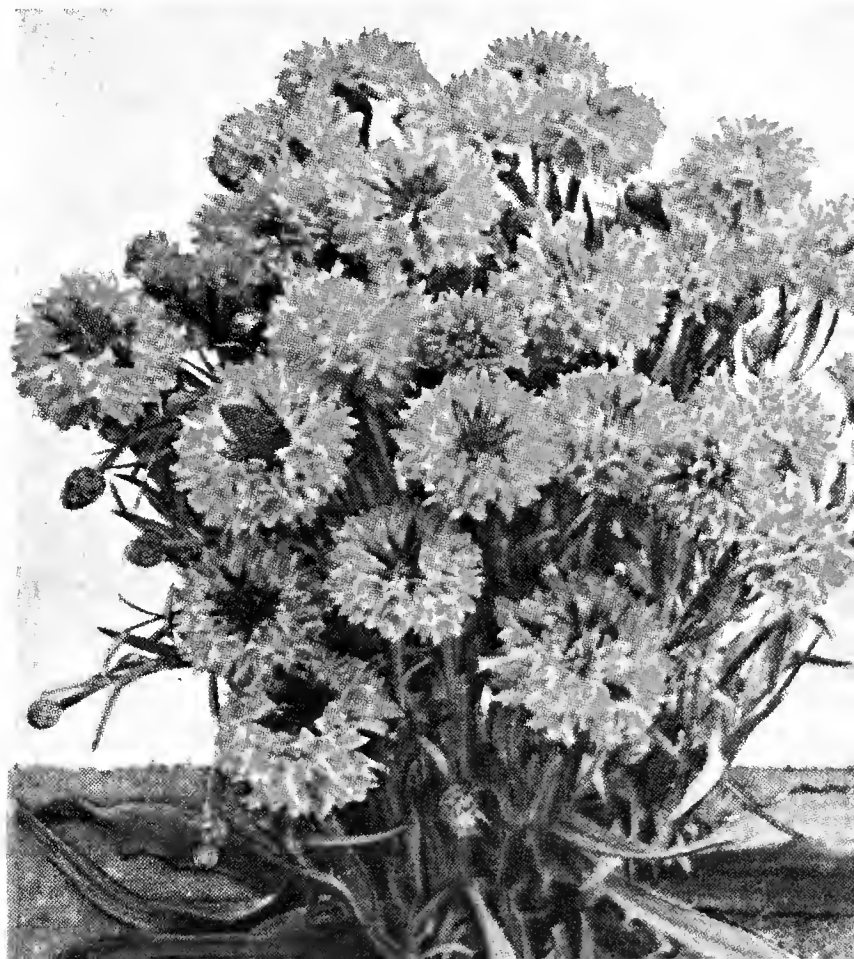


ANNUAL CANDYTUFT
CORNFLOWER, Jubilee Gem

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All-America Winner. A dwarf variety with vivid double blue flowers. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., \$1.00.

**CORNFLOWER, DOUBLE MIXED
(Bachelor Button).** Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.



Master Flowers



MORNING GLORY, Heavenly Blue

Clark's Improved Early Flowering Strain. A charming climbing annual. Will quickly clothe a fence, trellis or stump with green foliage and mammoth sky-blue flowers. **Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 40c.**

CALLIOPSIS

Very graceful border plants, supplying throughout the summer an abundance of elegant showy flowers which are greatly prized for garden decoration as well as for cutting. They are of the easiest culture and will thrive anywhere, even in city gardens.

Bicolor tall. Semi-double mixed. **Per pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.**

Bicolor dwarf mixed. **Per pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.**

DAHLIAS, Unwin's — from Seed

A novelty miniature early flowering semi-double hybrid in a wide range of colors. **Pkt., 20c; 1/8 oz., 60c.**



CALLIOPSIS, Bicolor Tall



COSMOS, Sensation "Pinkie"

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"PINKIE." A lovely rose-pink shade. These favorite flowers have a diameter of 4 or 5 inches, with broad, heavy fluted petals. **Pkt., 20c; 1/8 oz., 75c.**

"PURITY." Iridescent white. Large flowers of outstanding beauty. **Per pkt., 20c; 1/8 oz., 75c.**

FINEST MIXED. Award of Merit, 1936, All-America Selections. The flowers are mammoth in size, 4 to 5 inches in diameter. The mixture contains white and shades of pink. **Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 50c.**

NEW COSMOS, "Orange Flare"

Orange Flare proved itself worthy of the unanimous choice of all judges in the 1935 All-America Selections. Blooms in about 4 months from seed and is very free flowering. **Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 40c.**

COSMOS, Extra-Early Express

This extra-early dwarf cosmos will flower in 45 days from the time seed is planted and continuously until frost. The plants are 2 1/2 to 3 feet high, with medium-sized flowers.

Pink, white, crimson mixed. **Pkt., 25c; 1/4 oz., \$1.**

GOURDS

You will find lots of uses for these toy gourds. A bowl of the mixed types makes an interesting ornament and they delight the children.

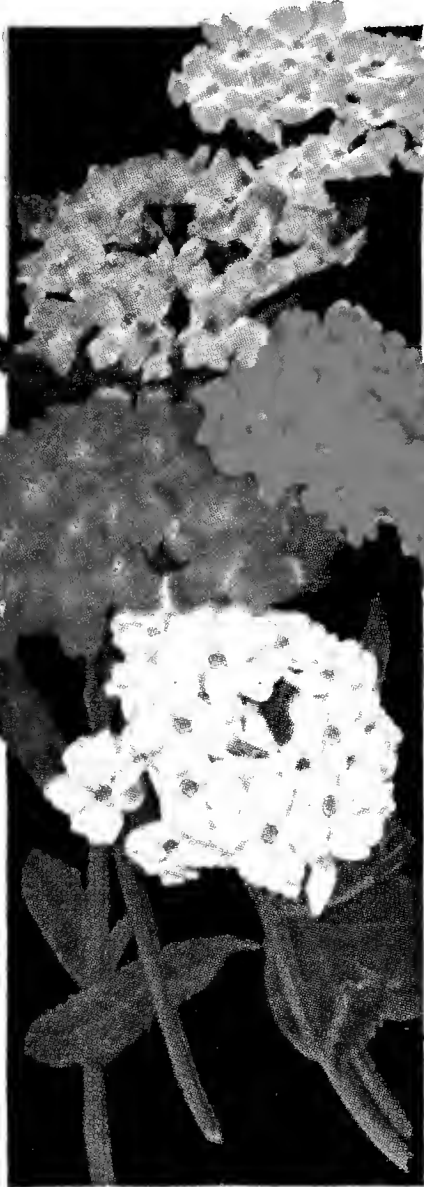
Large fruited mixed. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c.**

Small fruited mixed. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c.**

Ornamental GOURDS



to be Grown from Seeds



STRAWFLOWER (Helichrysum)

When dried, make an excellent window decoration. Finest mixed. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 30c.

VERBENA Grandiflora

WHITE. Pure white.

LUCIFER. Scarlet.

SALMON-PINK. Salmon.

PURPLE MANTLE. Blue.

GOLDEN QUEEN. Yellow.

Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 75c.

1 pkt. each of above 5 varieties, 50c.

FINEST MIXED. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 50c.

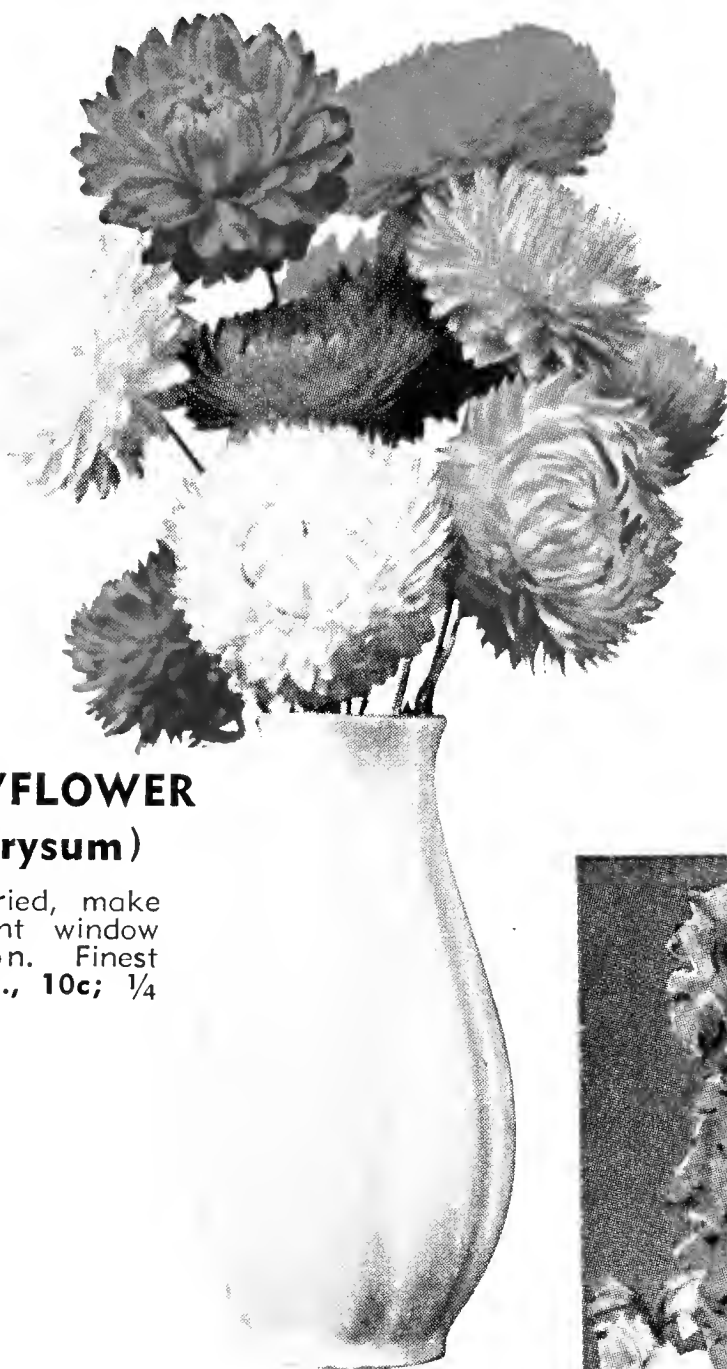
GODETIA

Try them as pot plants for winter decoration.

KELVEDON GLORY. Intensity and vividness found in no other annual. The plant is very strong and robust, growing about 1 to 1 1/2 feet high. Pkt., 15c; 1/8 oz., 50c.

TALL DOUBLE MIXED. Average height 2 feet. These hybrids comprise white, pink, carmine, salmon-orange. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 25c.

Godetia, Kelvedon Glory



LARKSPUR (Annual) Giant Imperial

BLUE SPIRE. Violet-blue.

WHITE SPIRE. New white.

LOS ANGELES. Deep pink.

DAINTINESS. Lavender.

CARMINE KING. Carmine-rose.

ROSAMOND. Pure deep rose. (New.)

Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz., 50c.

1 pkt. each of the above 6 varieties, 60c.

FINEST MIXED. Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz., 50c.

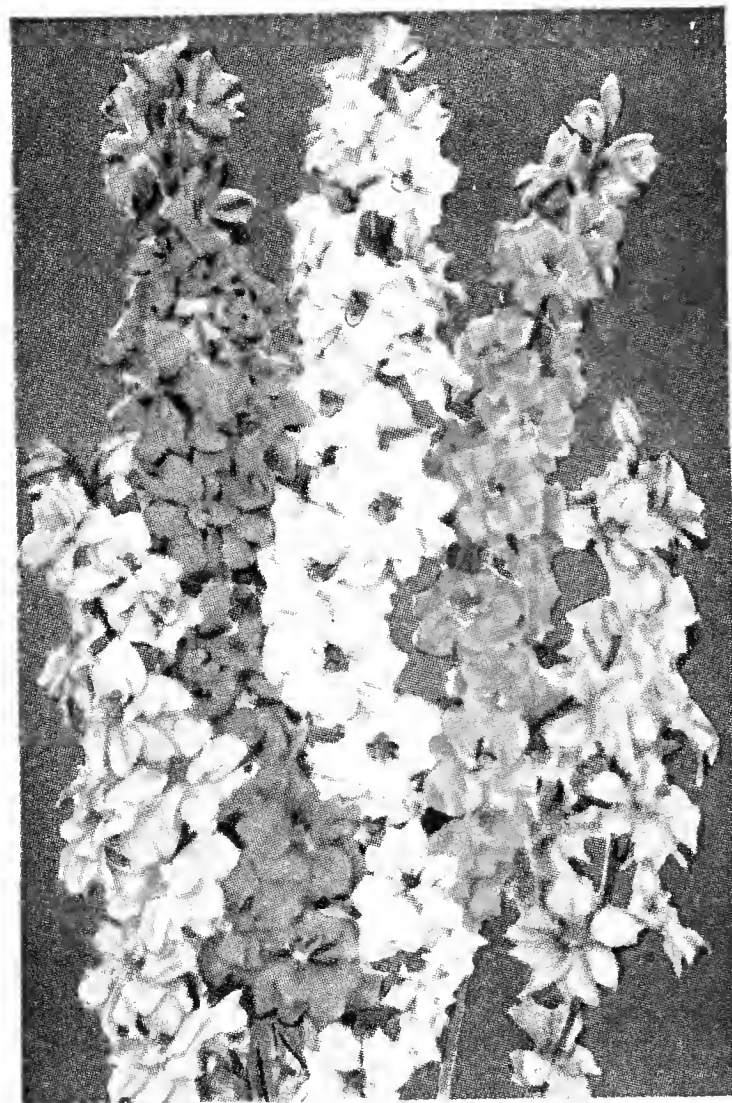


SALPIGLOSSIS,

Painted Tongue or Velvet Flower

GLOXINIAEFLORA MIXED.

Veined varieties only. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 50c.

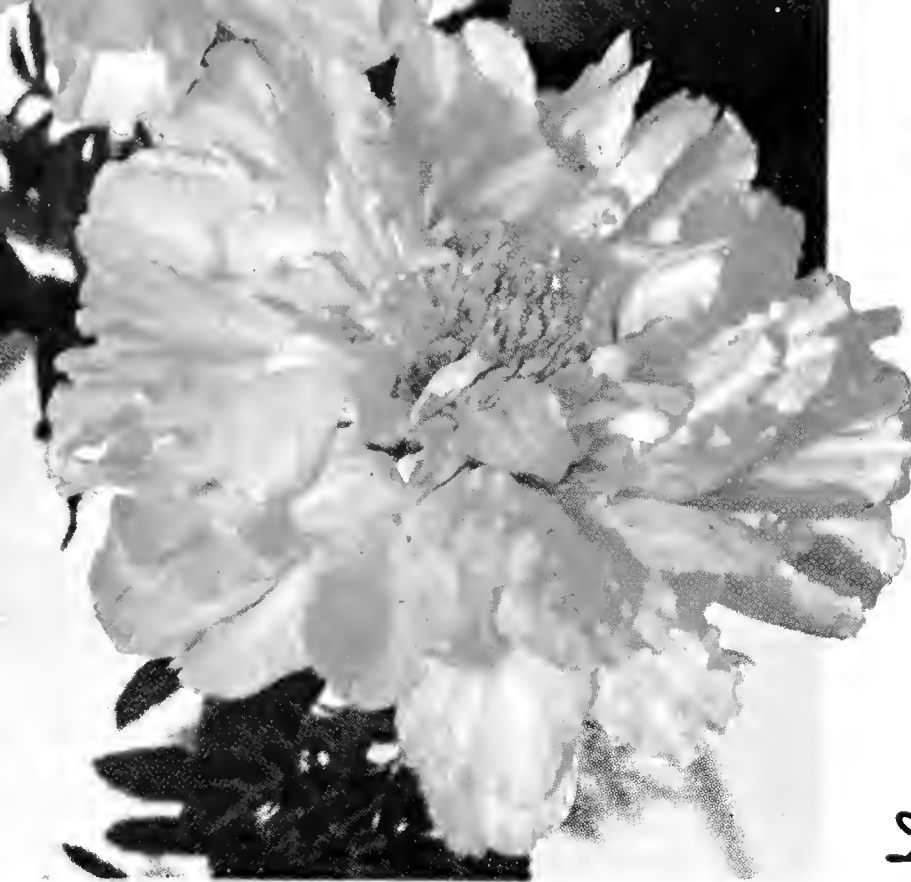


GYPSOPHILA (Baby's Breath)

ELEGANS GRANDIFLORA ALBA. Improved, large-flowering, pure white form of the annual Baby's Breath. Pkt., 10c; oz., 30c.

[7] **ELEGANS GRANDIFLORA ROSEA.** Delicate rose form of above. Pkt., 10c; oz., 30c.





5 Better Marigolds

SPECIAL OFFER!

One packet each of these

5 Marigolds 50c

Two pkts. each **90c**

Don't Fail to Order These

FIVE MARIGOLDS Which Excel in Beauty

Your home is your great source of health and happiness. You furnish the inside with pleasant charm—the outside is of equal importance. That is why home owners are giving more thought and attention each year to the planting of better flowers and bulbs.



New!

COLLARETTE MARIGOLD CROWN OF GOLD

MARIGOLD "Crown of Gold"

A new odorless Marigold; quilled petals. Winner of Gold Medal 1937. Pkt. 15c; 1/8 oz., 60c.



SALVIA Firebrand

A dazzling early dwarf scarlet bedder. Pkt., 25c; large pkt., \$1.00.

BALCONY PETUNIAS

For Flower Beds, Annual Borders, Window Boxes, and Rock Gardens. This Large Flowering Type

is the Best for the Amateur Gardener to Grow.

White. Pure white
Rose. Pure rose-pink
Crimson. Rich deep crimson
Blue. Rich cornflower-blue
Purple. Velvety violet-purple

Pkt., 15c;
1/8 oz., \$1.00

SPECIAL OFFER:

One pkt. each of above varieties **60¢**

FINEST BALCONY PETUNIAS MIXED. Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 75c.

PETUNIA, Giants of California

V. B. B. Special Mixed. Pkt., 25c; large pkt., \$1.00.

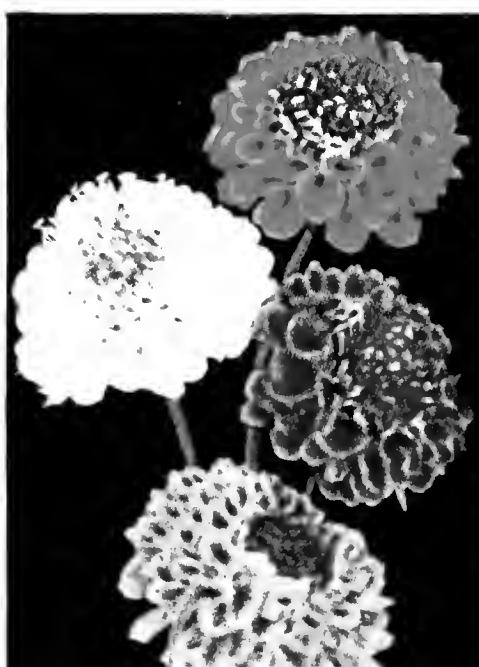


STATICE Sinuata (Sea Lavender)

Annual everlasting. Cloud-like masses of flowers make borders gay for a long time, while their color and graceful habit blend well with other Everlastings. Sow outdoors early in May. Fine mixture, 10c per pkt.; 1/4 oz., 30c.

SCABIOSA (Mourning Bride)

Flower Pincushions. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 30c.



PORTULACA

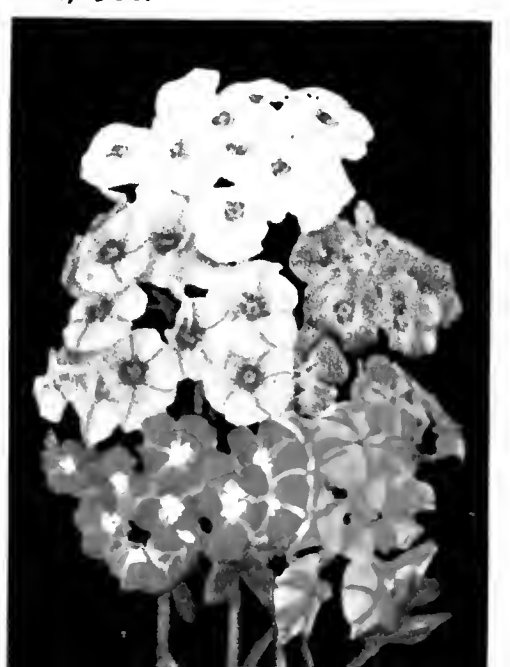
(Annual.) For low beds and masses of color, from spring until frost, they are indispensable. Colors range through innumerable shades of red, yellow, pink striped, white, etc.

DOUBLE. Mixed Colors. The flowers are like little roses. Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 60c.

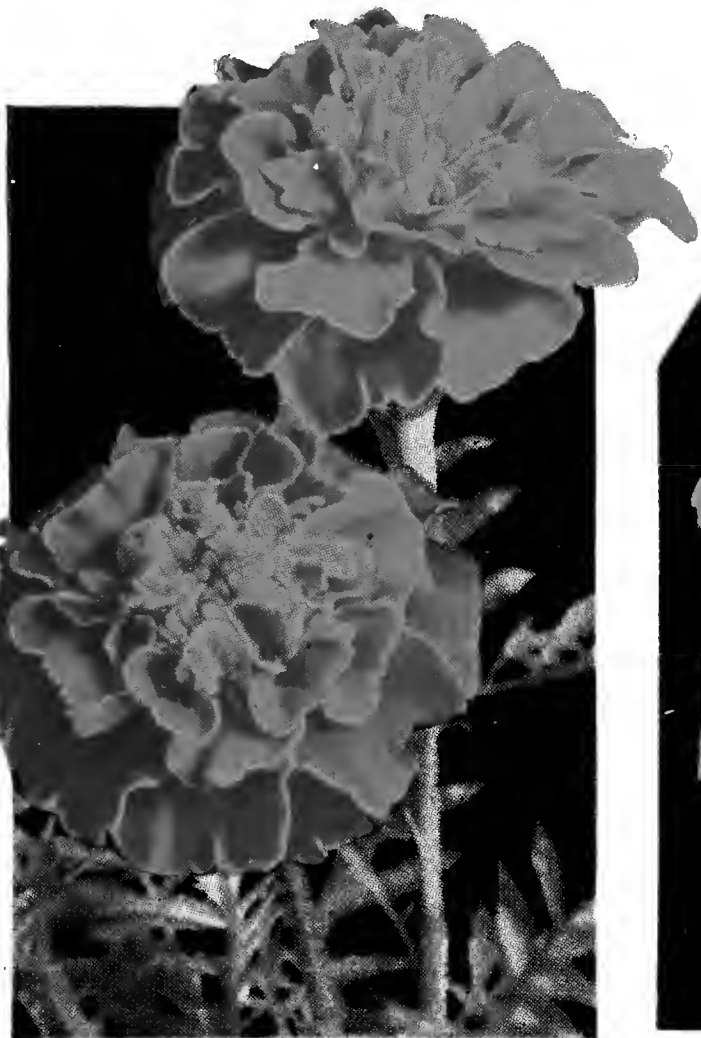
SINGLE. Mixed Colors. Pkt., 10c; 1/8 oz., 25c.

Phlox Drummondii

Finest mixture of giant art-shade varieties. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 50c.

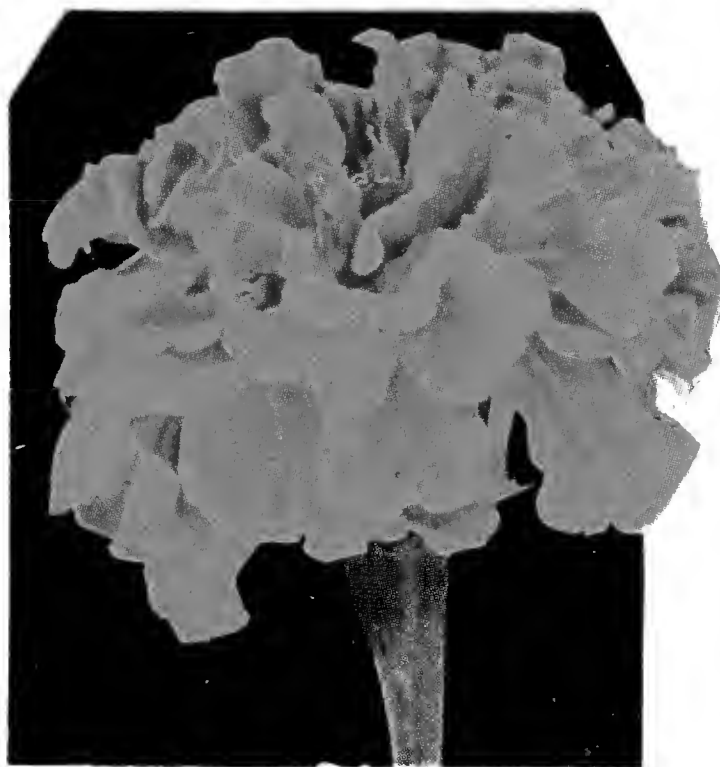


~ EVERY VARIETY *Different*



MARIGOLD, Dwarf **FRENCH DOUBLE "Harmony"**

Award of Merit, 1936. Pkt., 15c;
1/4 oz., 50c.



MARIGOLD 'Guinea Gold'

Few new flowers have become as popular
as this magnificent tall African marigold.
Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz., 35c.



MARIGOLD "Royal Scot"

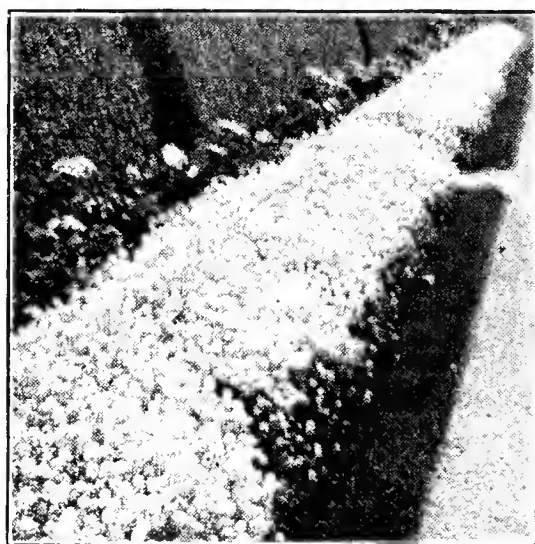
A lovely French marigold with double
flowers of mahogany and gold in uniform
stripes. The plants are bushy and even in
growth, rarely over 1 foot tall. Pkt., 15c;
1/4 oz., 50c.



MYOSOTIS **(Forget-me-not)**

(Perennial.) Hardy if given slight
protection through the winter. Seed
may be sown from spring until mid-
summer. Alpestris varieties bloom in
April.

ROYAL BLUE. Rich, dark indigo-
blue flowers. Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz.,
50c.



SWEET ALYSSUM

Pure white flowers; makes an ex-
cellent border. Pkt., 10c; 1/4 oz.,
30c.

NASTURTIUMS **New Double** **Sweet-Scented**

GOLDEN GLEAM. Double sweet
scented yellow. Pkt., 10c; oz.,
30c; 1/4 lb., \$1.00.

SCARLET GLEAM. A bed of it is
like a carpet of fire, so daz-
zling, so rich, so impressive.
Pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; 1/4 lb.,
\$1.00.

DWARF DOUBLE GEM MIXED. →
New. Free flowering, producing
its bloom well above the green
foliage. Sweet scented. Pkt.,
15c; oz., 50c; 1/4 lb., \$1.50.

← **LOBELIA**

CRYSTAL PALACE COMPACTA.
A very dainty coronation blue.
Pkt., 15c; 1/4 oz., 50c.



Giant Flowering **SWEET PEA**

In a mixture of 15 of the best
named varieties for your garden.
Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c.





ZINNIA, Giant Dahlia-Flowered

CRIMSON MONARCH. Deep crimson.

DREAM. Deep lavender.

EXQUISITE. Light rose, deep rose center.

GOLDEN DAWN. Yellow.

ORIOLE. Orange and gold.

Pkt., 15c; ¼ oz., 50c.

1 pkt. of each of above—5 varieties—50c.

FINEST MIXTURE — Pkt., 10c; ¼ oz., 40c.



ZINNIA, Linearis

A winner of the Award of Merit, 1938. A real novelty in zinnias, distinctively different. Pkt., 20c; ⅛ oz., 75c.

Zinnia Linearis



ZINNIA, Scabiosa-Flowered

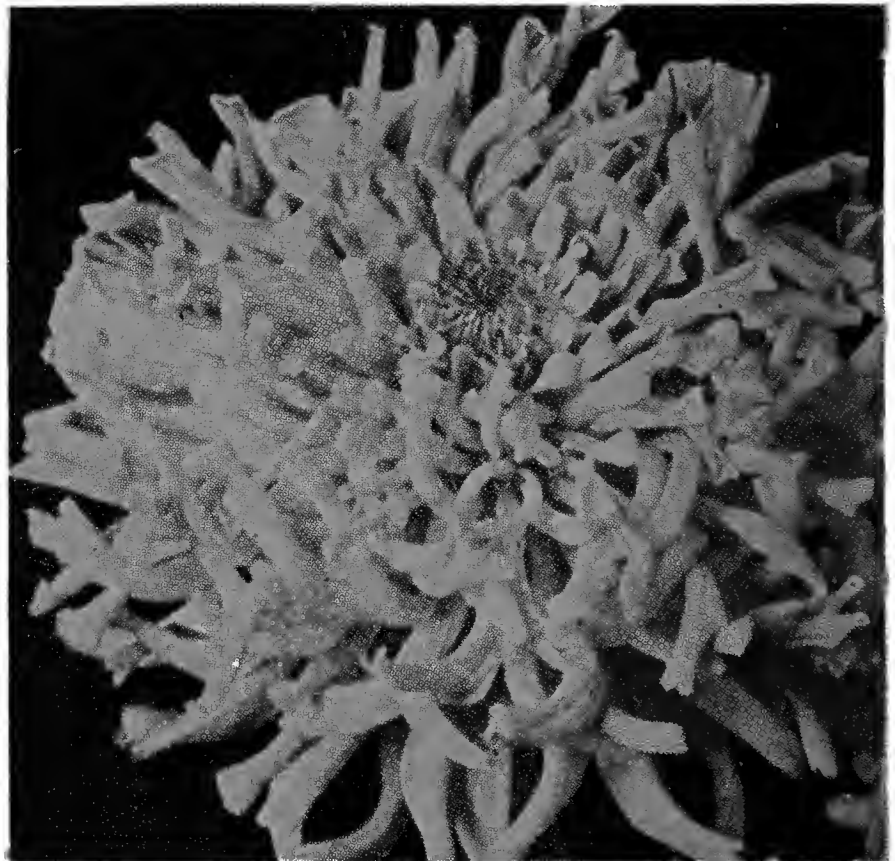
AUTUMN TINTS. The strain is composed of a mixture of rich autumn shades. Flowers are of medium size with the characteristic crested center. Plants 2½ to 3 feet tall. This strain is particularly well adapted for cut flower use. Pkt., 15c; large pkt., 50c.

Zinnia, Scabiosa-Flowered



ZINNIA, Navajo Mixed

A new gaillardia-flowered type measuring two inches in diameter. Pkt., 15c; ⅛ oz., 50c.



Fantasy Zinnia, "Stardust"

ZINNIA, Fantasy

The most fascinating new zinnia type introduced to the flower world in many years.

STARDUST. Golden yellow. Pkt., 15c; ⅛ oz., 75c.

WHITE LIGHT. Pkt., 25c; ⅛ oz., \$1.00.

ROSALIE. Intense rose. Pkt., 25c; ⅛ oz., \$1.00.

MIXED. Pkt., 15c; ⅛ oz., 75c.

DWARF ZINNIAS Lilliput or Pompon

Excellent for table decorations. Finest mixed. Pkt., 10c; ¼ oz., 40c.



Summer Flowering Bulbs

*Colorful,
Fragrant*



**Lilium
Speciosum Album**

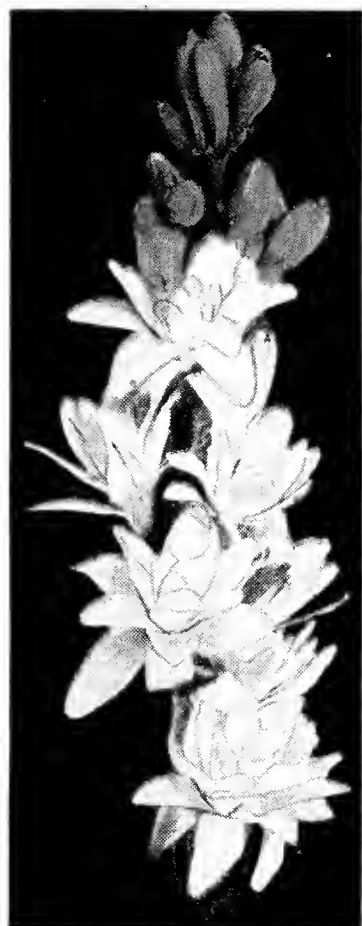
TUBEROSE

DWARF DOUBLE PEARL. Delightfully fragrant and beautiful. For best results plant 6 or more in one bed. **75c per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.**

MEXICAN. Single everblooming. Waxy white flowers, borne continuously through long season. **75c per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.**

LILIUM Speciosum Album

Lily enthusiasts will enjoy this beautiful, dainty lily, because they are easy to grow and thoroughly satisfactory. **35c each; \$3.50 per doz.**



**Dwarf Double Pearl
Tuberose**



Amaryllis Hippeastrum, Giant Hybrids

These Giant Amaryllis are for indoor culture only. They will be delivered at any time desired during November, December, January, February and March. The colors vary from white striped with pink or red to dark red. **Each, 65c; \$6.50 per doz.**



HYACINTHUS CANDICANS

Long spikes 4 to 5 feet in height, bearing 20 to 30 large, white, bell-shaped flowers. **Choice bulbs, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.**

SPECIAL OFFER "D" MONTBRETIAS

3 bulbs each of 4 var.	..\$1.30
6 bulbs each of 4 var.	...2.50
12 bulbs each of 4 var.	...4.90



TIGRIDIA or Mexican Shell Flower

This brilliant silken triangle flower unfolds from its long slender buds, bursting into shapely contrasting tints of fire, ranging from brilliant yellow to molten orange and vivid scarlet. Mixed colors only. **3 for 45c; \$1.50 per doz.**

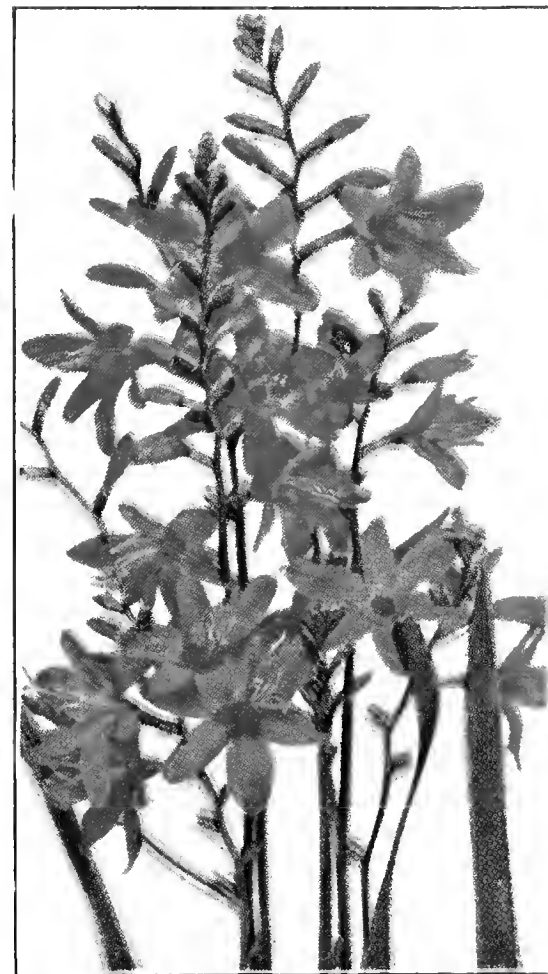
MONTBRETIAS

ETOILE de FEU. Very graceful soft red with orange throat. Height 24 inches. **\$1.10 per doz.; 100, \$8.25.**

GEO. DAVIDSON. Very popular variety. Free flowering yellow. Height 18 inches. **\$1.10 per doz.; \$8.25 per 100.**

HIS MAJESTY. A glorious variety, flowers measuring four inches or more across, very broad petaled, deep velvety scarlet, shading down to gold, reverse of petals dark crimson, the largest flowered of all. **\$2.00 per doz.; 100, \$15.00.**

LADY HAMILTON. A very pretty variety of erect habit with large apricot flowers having a wide band of apricot-rose and small crimson dots. **\$1.10 per doz.; \$8.25 per 100.**



Montbretia



HARDY LILIES for Spring Planting

The New Green-Throated Lily
PHILIPPINENSE FORMOSANUM



Garden enthusiasts are now taking literally the admonition to "Consider the Lilies." The beauty and variety of the Lilies is being more and more appreciated. Today, a garden without lilies is much like a garden without roses; unthinkable. We offer here only varieties which have proved hardy in the northern United States.



LILIAM Speciosum Magnificum

Sometimes called the "Oriental Orchid." Very large bulbs. **Each, 30c; doz., \$3.00.**

LILIAM Philippinense Formosanum

A new, graceful lily growing 2 to 3 feet high. Possesses a delightful fragrance and blooms in September. Stem-rooting; plant 8 inches deep. **Each, 30c; doz., \$3.00.**

SPECIAL OFFER "C" OF THESE 8 HARDY LILIES

1 BULB of each of 8 varieties (8 bulbs) \$2.00
3 BULBS of each of 8 varieties (24 bulbs) 5.50
6 BULBS of each of 8 varieties (48 bulbs) 9.00

LILIAM Henryi

Beautiful orange-yellow. Tall. Many flowers to a stem. **Each, 35c; doz., \$3.50.**



LILIAM Davuricum

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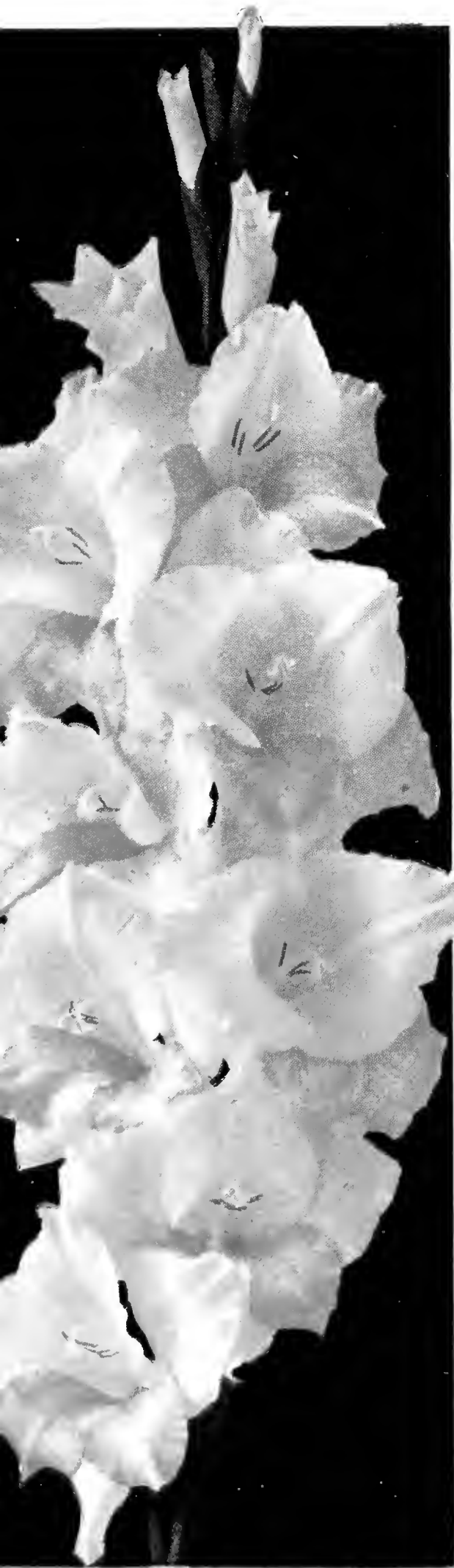
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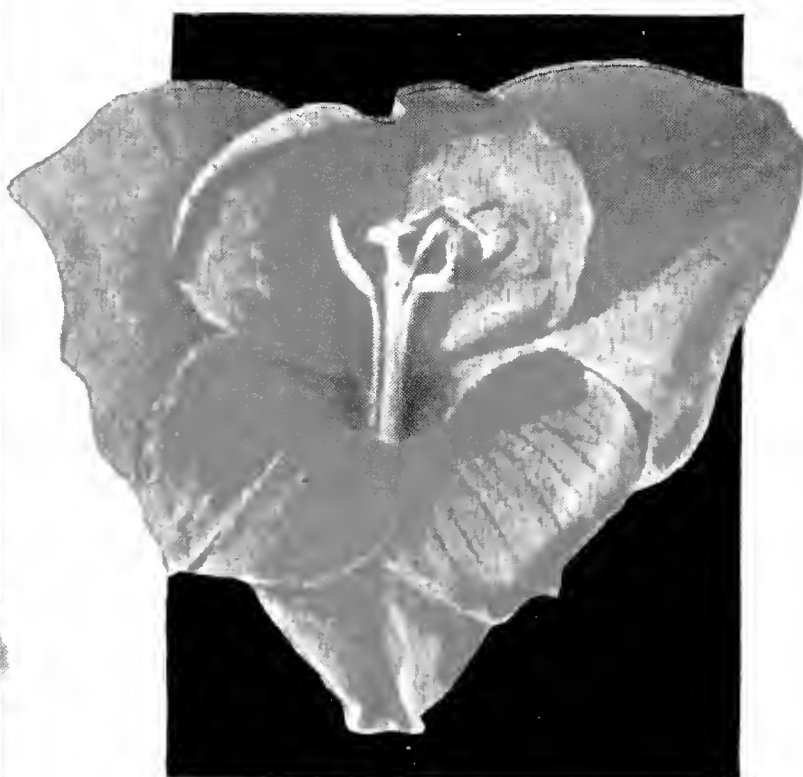
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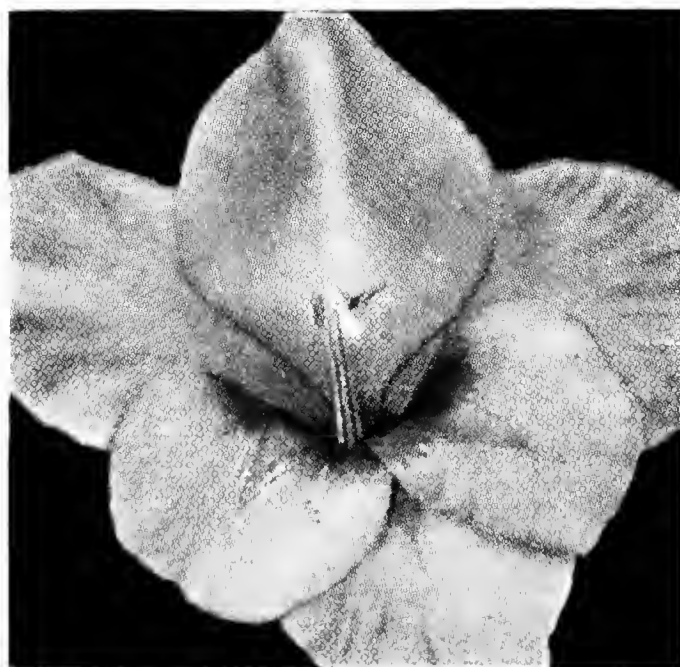
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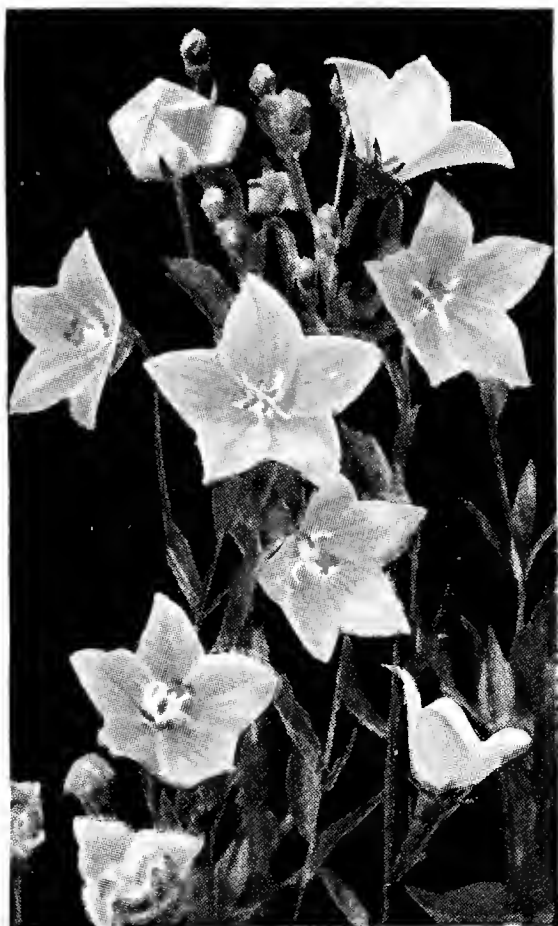
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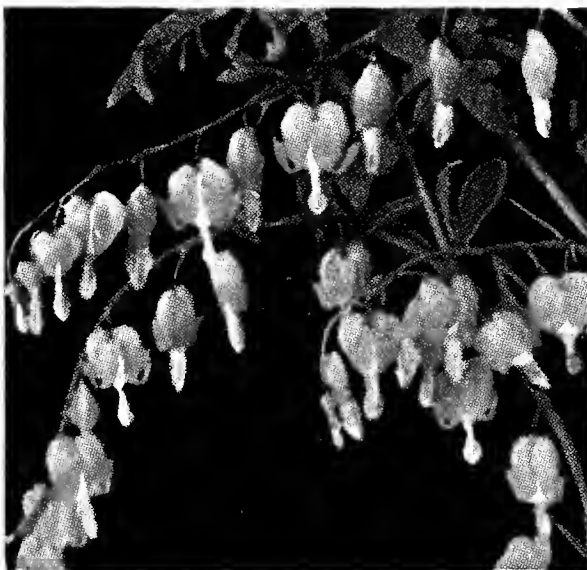
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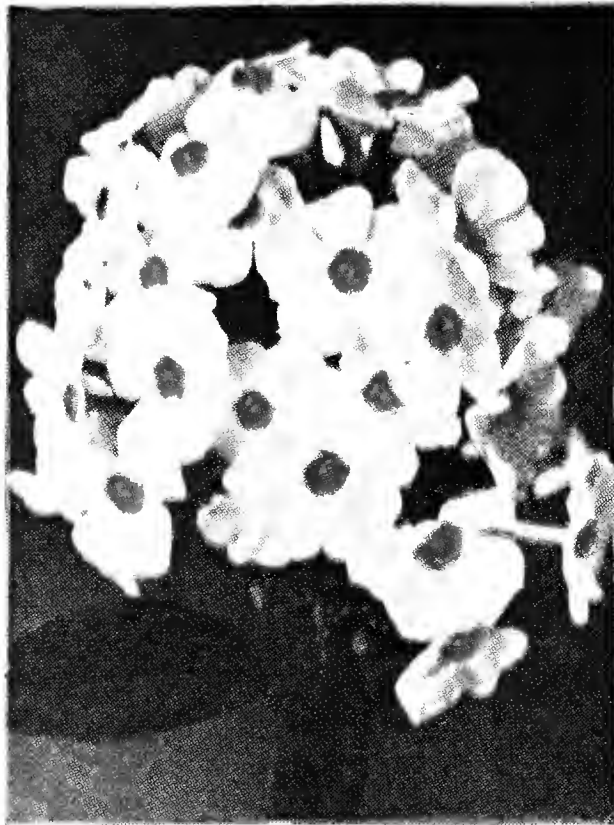
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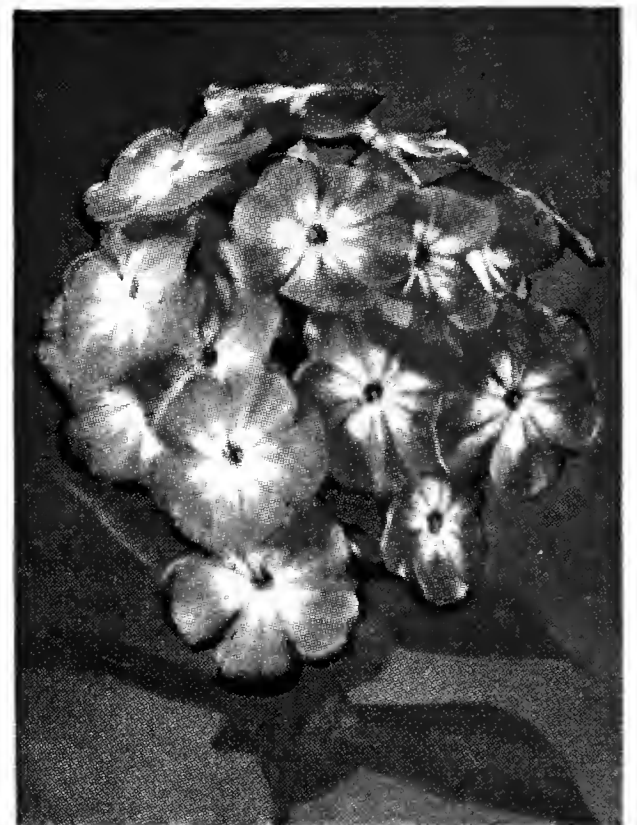
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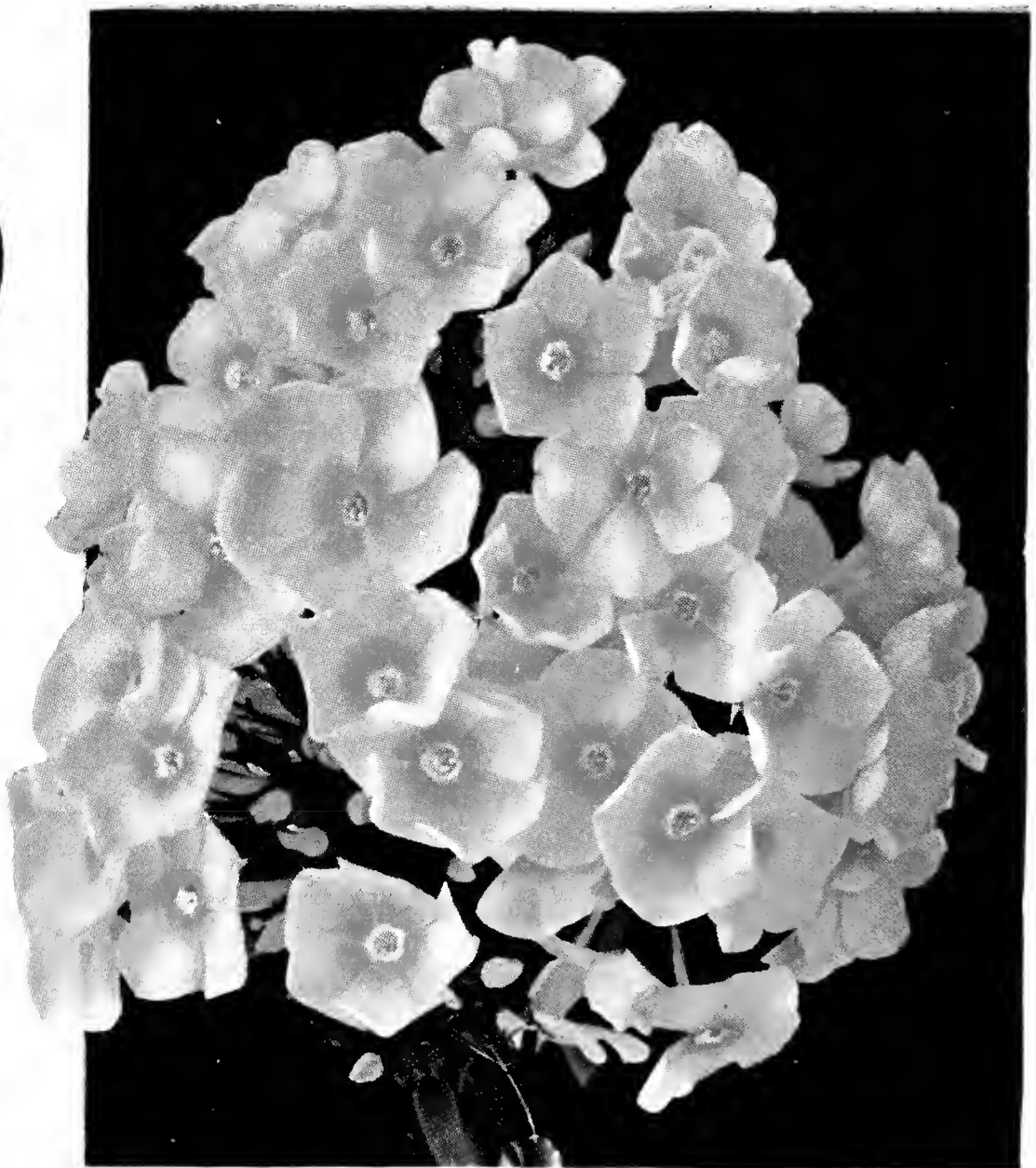
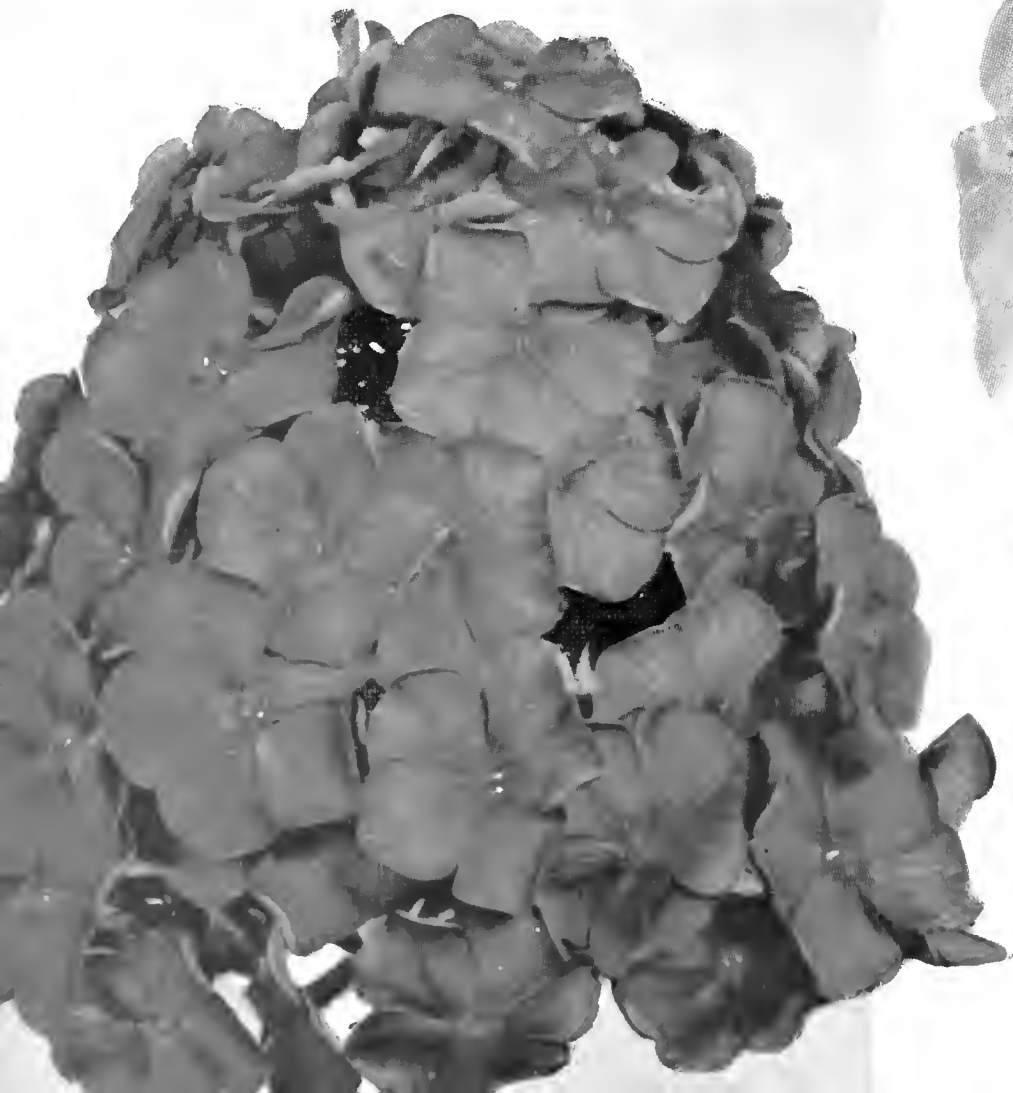


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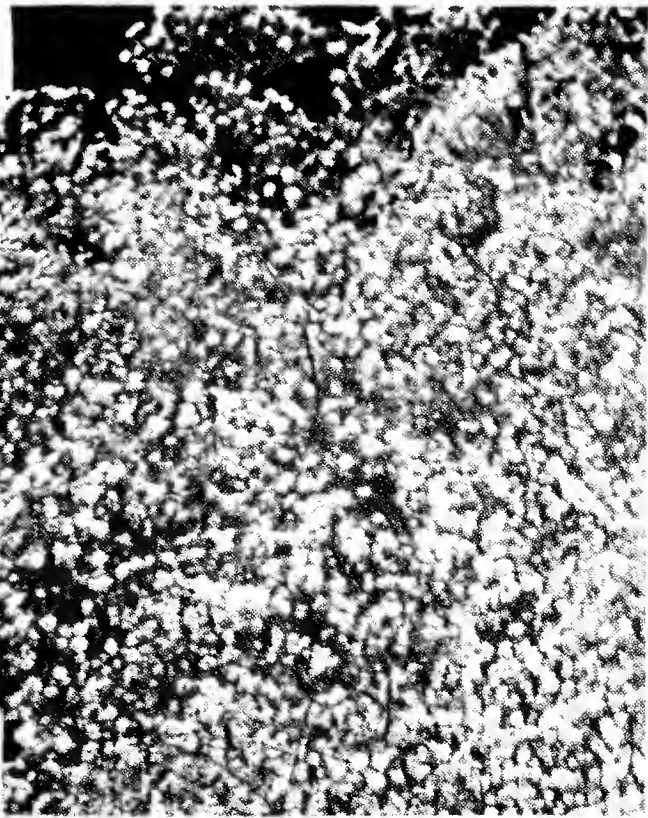
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Plants are ideal for rock garden, flower border, and woodland plantings if situation is moist. They prefer shade.

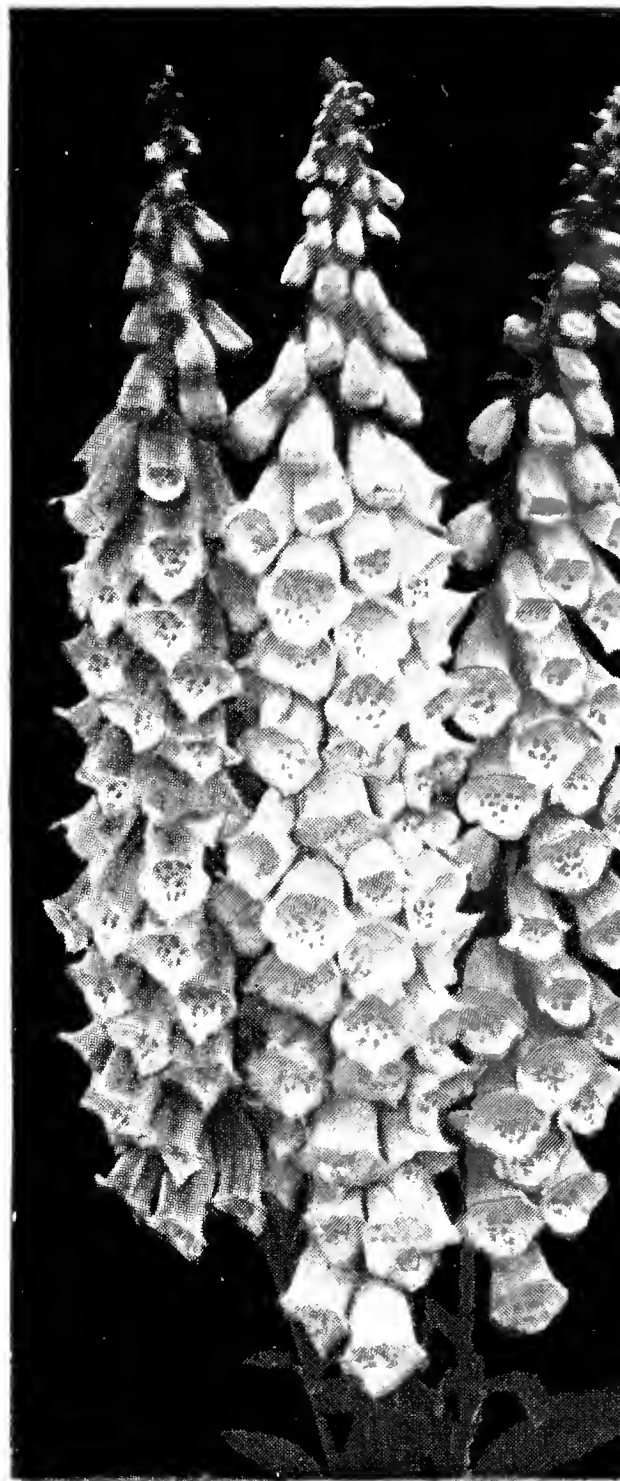
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Alba. White. \$1.20 for 3; \$4.50 per doz.

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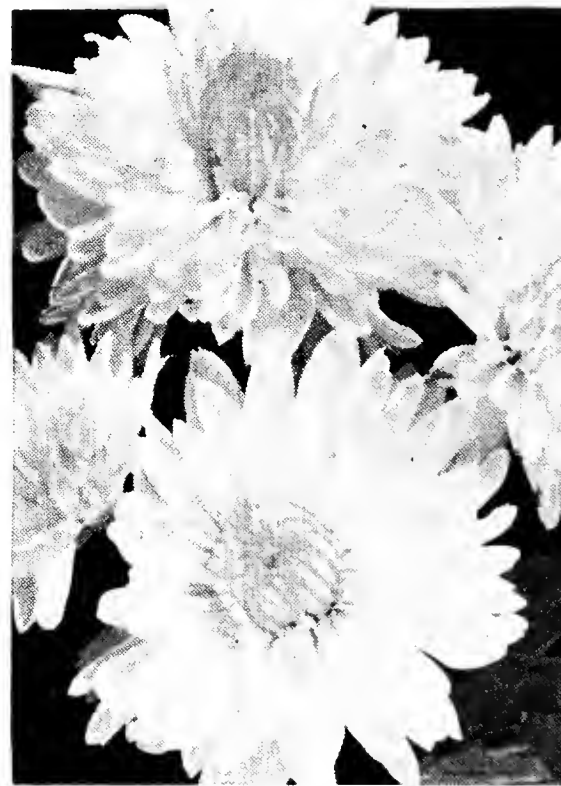
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PINK CUSHION. (Illustrated at left.) Very compact and early. Free flowering, light rose. Should be kept pruned back until early August for best results. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.00.

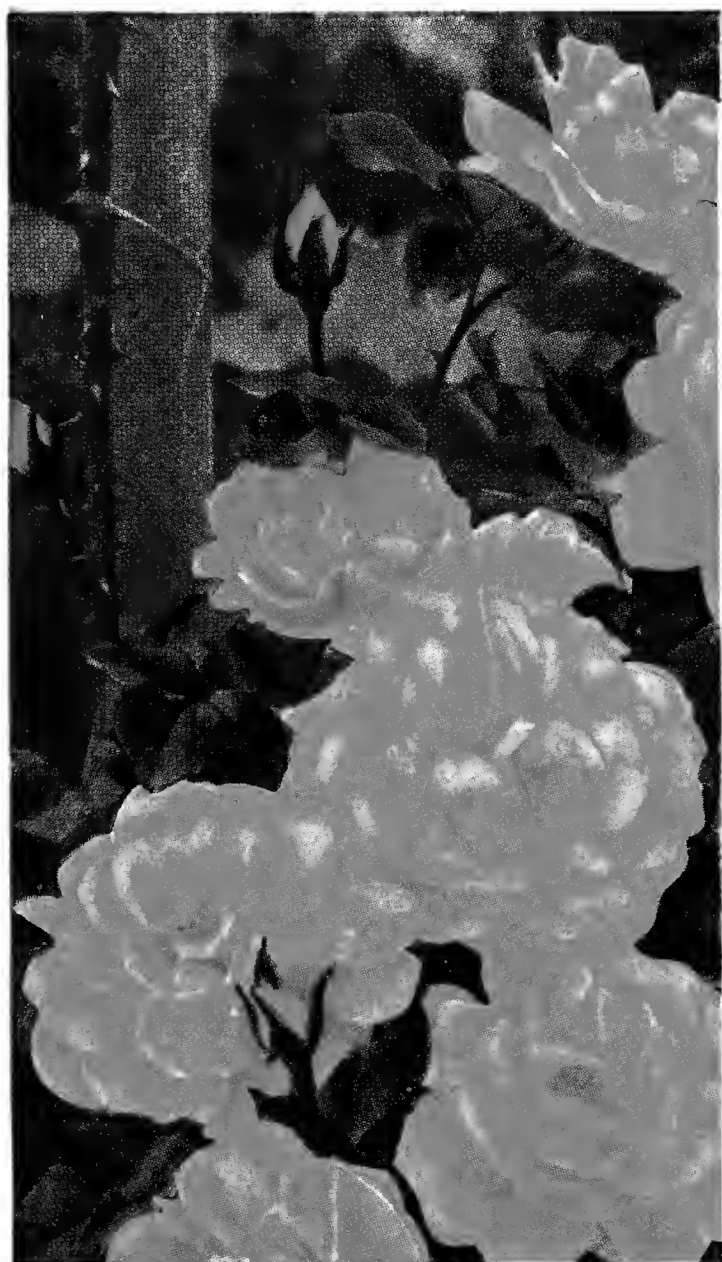
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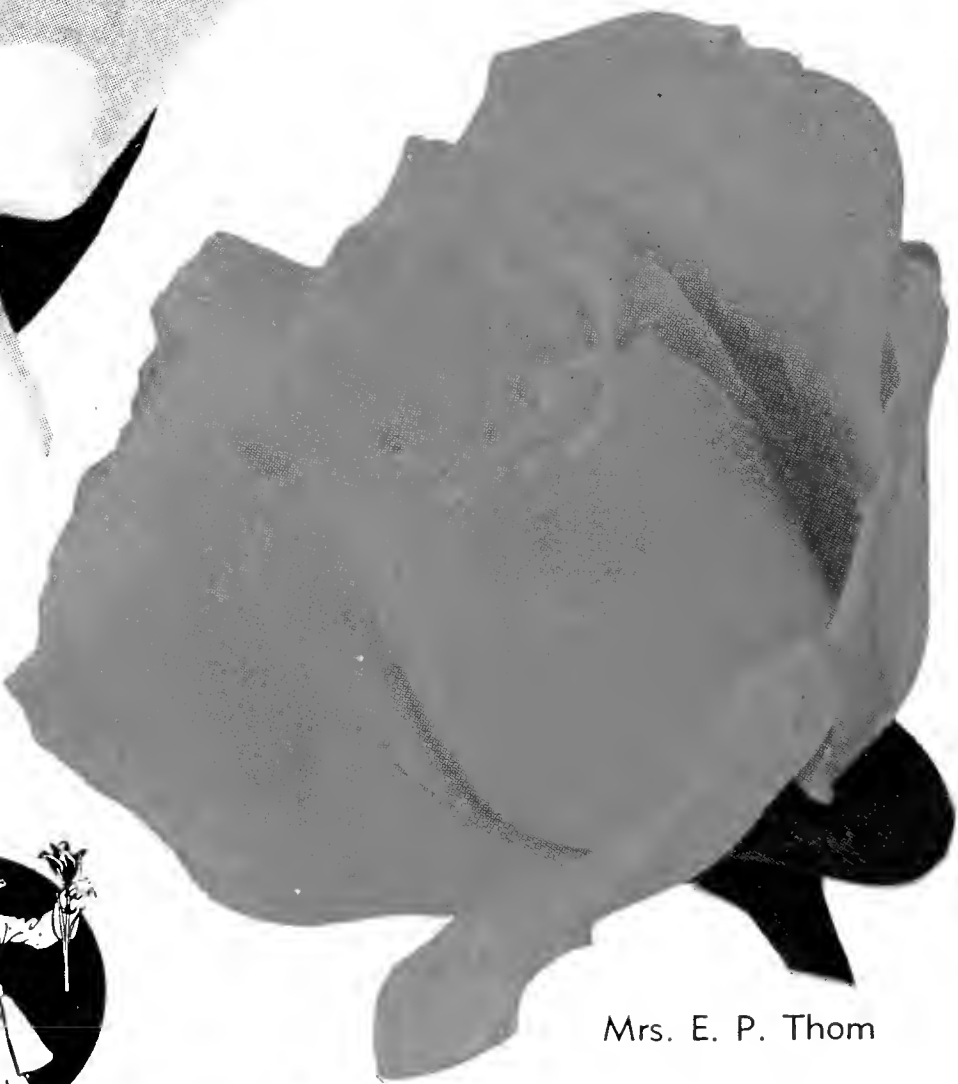
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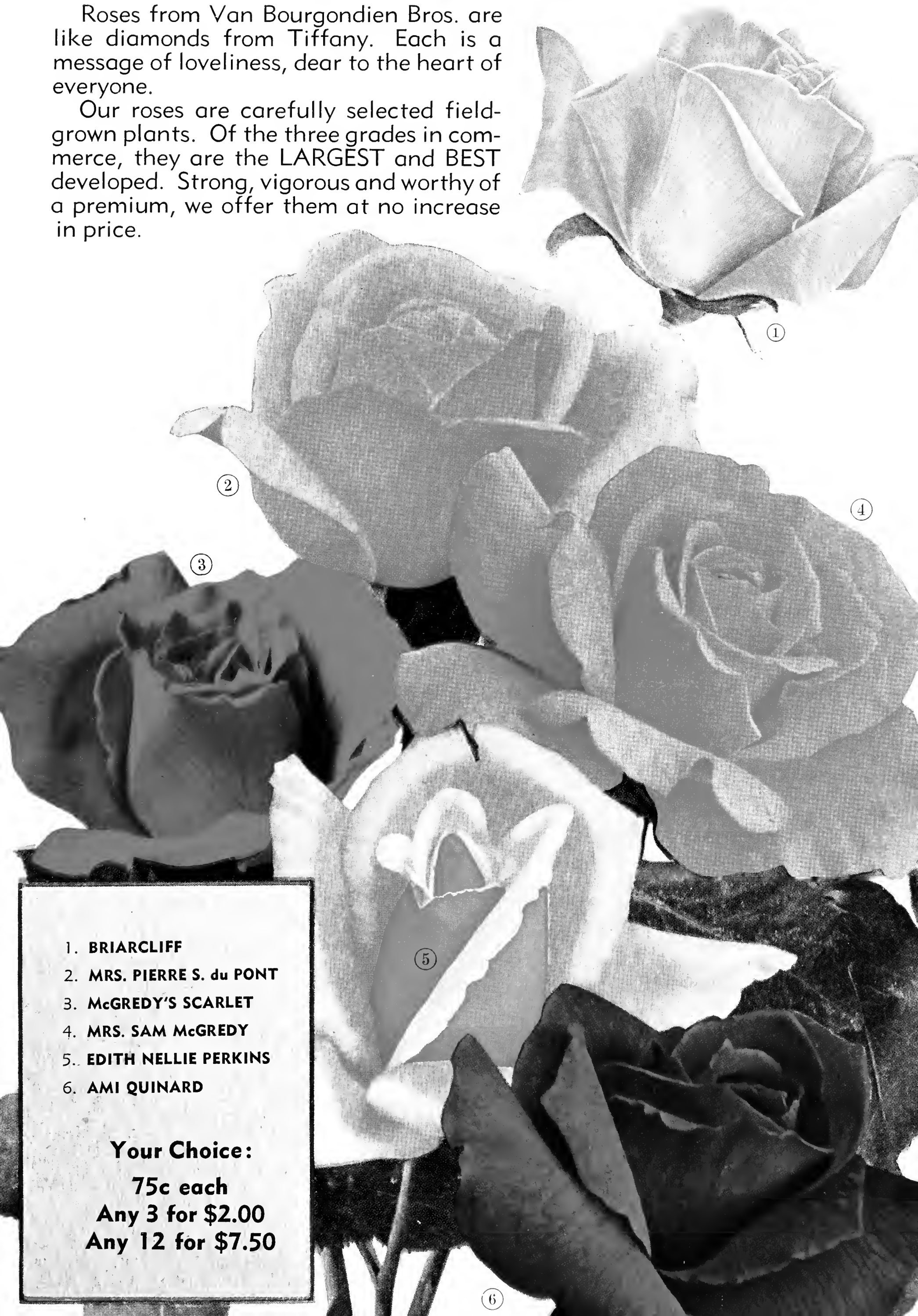
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